

REPORT OF THE
GRAND JURY

To the Honorable Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Columbia:

We, your Grand Jury, beg leave to report as follows:

That we have examined the several cases of persons having been bound over by the Justice's Courts in the several districts in Columbia County; we have inquired into these several cases by subpoenaing the witnesses and taking their sworn testimony; we have also examined charges against different individuals for misdemeanors to which our attention has been called and have fully examined those several cases where we believed that a crime had actually been committed and where we believed the good of the community demanded an examination, all of these several bills and indictments, we have reported to your Court.

We have also visited and examined the poor farm. We find the buildings in good repair; also went over the grounds in part and while we believe that the place can be made to support all the paupers that may accumulate in Columbia County for many years to come, we, however, failed to find any inhabitants or persons living on said farm.

We have also visited the various offices in the court-house, all of which we find in good condition, orderly and well kept.

We have also examined the jail in the basement of the court-house. We find the cells in good condition, and the corridors kept clean. We have, however, noticed that there is a steel cell situated on the outside of the jail proper and in the basement of the court-house, which is not kept as clean a condition as it should be. We are informed that this cell is kept in use by the City of St. Helens for a place to confine its prisoners. We would therefore recommend that in view of the fact that Columbia County is giving free use of the basement of the court-house to the City in which to keep its prisoners, that the city government see to it that no filth may accumulate therein or disease arise therefrom.

We have examined the office of the District Attorney and find that the office is sometimes crowded, especially during the terms of court, both County and Circuit; that it is sometimes necessary for persons to stand in the lobby, while private business is being discussed.

We therefore recommend that a partition be built so that a portion of the office now used by the County Treasurer be completed and made in such manner as will enable the District Attorney to have a private office in addition to the single room now occupied.

There being no further business before us, we ask that we be discharged from further service at this time.

Dated at St. Helens, Oregon, this 29th day of October, 1915.

JOHN FARR, Foreman.

HUNTERS ARE WARNED.

Carelessness on the part of hunters in respecting the sections of the game laws prohibiting shooting at game on public roads and railroad rights of way and of hunting with dogs on property before obtaining the owner's permission and by these acts making themselves liable to a fine of not less than \$25 is called to the attention of the hunters. While the hunters may intend no violation of the law and that in many cases the disregard is due to ignorance of the provisions of the law this will not excuse them in case of arrest. For information of hunters we call attention to Sections 22 and 23 of the Oregon game code, which provides as follows:

"It shall be unlawful at any time to shoot or discharge any gun at any game bird or game animal from, or while upon any railroad right of way or any public road or highway.

"No person shall hunt with a dog or gun upon the cultivated or enclosed land of another without first obtaining permission of the owner, occupant or agent thereof."

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U. OF O. TRIMS
ITS ATHLETICS

State University athletics are "notably free from objectionable practices," but some changes are necessary to increase their educational value. This has been the finding of the faculty investigating committee of seven. The faculty has accordingly voted the following changes:

Basketball is suspended at present as an intercollegiate sport.

The pre-season training camp for football men is ordered discontinued.

Practice for varsity football and baseball teams is limited to from 4 to 6:30 o'clock p. m., during school days.

Intercollegiate football contests are limited to seven in any one season.

Intercollegiate baseball schedules are restricted to teams west of the Cascades; provided that one or more games may be played with the winner of the eastern division to determine the northwestern championship.

The University's representatives in the northwest college conference meetings shall hereafter be faculty members.

Students who have not passed three-fourths of the full work of the University the previous semester are barred from all student activities.

With the foregoing modifications intercollegiate sports are retained, but as subordinate to intramural athletics.

The faculty also declared for the building up of purely campus sports "so that every student may be encouraged to take daily systematic exercise throughout his college course;" and it declared for the ultimate subordination of gate receipts.

The committee believes the excessive publicity given athletics tends to warp student judgment as to their relative importance in a college course.

FOLIAGE SENT TO FAIR.

The Chamber of Commerce of Portland Tuesday shipped eight huge boxes of Oregon grape and sweet briar to San Francisco to be used in decorating the Oregon building at the exposition on October 30, which is officially "Oregon Day." At the same time this shipment went south delegates from various parts of Oregon were starting for San Francisco to participate in the ceremonies.

The plan to gather the Oregon grape and sweet briar was introduced by Mrs. Bertha T. Voorhorst and the Mazamas and the public school children co-operated in preparing and packing. The Chamber handled the shipping.

Governor Withycombe, Mrs. Withycombe, their daughter, Miss Mabel Withycombe, and members of the governor's staff left Portland over the Southern Pacific last night for the San Francisco exposition.

The governor and his party will stop at Medford today to take part in the exercises incident to the dedication of the new National Guard armory there. This armory is the most modern in the state.

All the members of the governor's staff are regularly commissioned National Guard officers. They include Colonel Cienard McLaughlin, Major W. L. Coppernoll, Captains L. J. A. Peroni, of Portland; LeRoy Woods of Cottage Grove; Conrad Staffon, of Dallas; A. J. Vance, of Medford; and Clyde C. Malone, of Ashland, and Ensign E. A. West of the Oregon Naval Militia.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Letters unclaimed at the St. Helens, Oregon, postoffice, for the week ending October 23, 1915:

Mrs. John Clark, B. E. Miller, Alfred Miller, Mrs. Dick Walker.

Letters unclaimed by November 6, will be sent to Division of Dead Letters.

IVA E. DODD, P. M.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

May Mountney and Harold Mountney, both of Rainier, Oregon.

LIST OF TRANSFERS.

Reported by Columbia County Abstract Company.

October 20—Columbia Co. Logging Co. to E. C. Giltner; land in Leonard Harris D. L. C., \$1.00.

Elizabeth M. Watts to Victor B. and Augusta Johnson; land in Sec. 14, T. 3 N., R. 2 W., \$775.00.

E. C. Stanwood, Sheriff, to E. S. Brown; land in Sec. 12, T. 4 N., R. 3 W., \$400.00.

October 22—Ella Himpel to Otto Berg; land in Bryant D. L. C., \$500.00.

October 23—Victor L. Malcolm to Milly R. Smith; lot 3 of Sec. 20, T. 6 N., R. 4 W., \$10.00.

Otto Hoog, trustee, et al. to Rudolph H. Meyer; land in Sec. 6, T. 4 N., R. 1 W., \$10.00.

October 25—Ella M. Thornton et ux to Felix Verhoeven; land in Sec. 32, T. 4 N., R. 3 W., \$10.00.

Chas. C. Smith et ux to Columbia Co. Bank; lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, Blk. 7, Georgetown, \$596.00.

Geo. H. Lemont et ux to Zina H. Lemont; lots 12 and 13, Blk. 2, Rose Hill in Francis Lemont D. L. C., \$1.00.

October 26—Oscar E. Foien et ux to Carl Erickson et ux, land in Sec. 11, T. 6 N., R. 3 W., \$10.00.

Elizabeth M. Watts to D. W. Price et ux; tract 16 of Wathome Acres, \$850.00.

GREAT IS HARRY
WEST'S JERSEY HERD

Oregon milk and beef cattle made a magnificent showing in the great stock show of the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco.

When it came to Jerseys it was Harry West's herd of Seapooze captured nearly all the blue ribbons in sight and there were numerous herds there, not only from different sections of Oregon but from numerous other states. He captured all but two blue ribbons for this breed of milkers, and among these was the champion two-year-old bull.

This is a splendid showing and we congratulate Mr. West on his triumph over the many competitors.

All Columbia county needs to do to pull down blue ribbons on anything that is raised or grown is to go after it.

FIREMEN'S MINSTRELS.

The Firemen have begun practice on their minstrels, to be given some time next month. This will be their second minstrel show and will be bigger and better than the first one. They have the latest jokes from Dick's Dramatic Co. of Chicago, and plenty of locals that will keep the audience continually laughing for two hours.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 2, of Columbia County, State of Oregon, that a Special School Meeting of said District will be held at the School House on the 29th day of November, 1915, at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax.

The purposes for which the money to be raised by this levy shall be expended, are shown by the following itemized budget which is hereby made a part of this notice:

Teachers' salaries	\$11,160.00
Furniture	200.00
Apparatus, such as maps, chalk, erasers, stoves or curtains	100.00
Library books	100.00
Flags	10.00
Repairs of schoolhouses, outbuildings or fences	500.00
Playground apparatus	50.00
Transportation of pupils	360.00
Janitor	810.00
Janitor's supplies	50.00
Fuel	325.00
Light	20.00
Clerk's salary	72.00
Postage and stationery	25.00
Interest on bonds	1,284.00
Water rent	135.00

Dated this 27th day of October, 1915.

Attest: Alice L. Quick, District Clerk.

R. S. HATTAN,

Chairman Board of Directors.

COURT PROCEEDINGS

Monday, October 25. 11th Judicial day.

Court came pursuant to adjournment.

Officers all present except Commissioner Weed.

Due proclamation being made, the following proceedings were had:

In the matter of establishing Road District boundaries.

On this 25th day of October, 1915, this matter coming on for consideration by the Court, and the Court being advised in the matter, it is ordered by the Court that certain order made and entered herein on a former day of this term of Court, to-wit: on the 21st day of September, 1915, be, and the same is hereby reconsidered, revoked and held for naught, and it is further ordered by the Court that the boundaries of the various road districts in the county remain in the same condition as if such order had never been made. Whereupon Court adjourned.

MORE FRUIT WANTED

The Columbia county exhibit at the Land Show is simply grand, but there is little or no fruit. It is believed that Columbia county would have carried off a prize had there been a good exhibit of fruit.

The exhibit is in charge of Ase Smith of Clatskanie, and he makes an appeal for fruit of any and all kinds. It is to be hoped that his request will be heeded and that fruit will be sent him from all sections.

Address Superintendent Land Show, Portland, Columbia county department.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County. In the matter of the estate of Alice M. Stout, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed as administrator of the estate of Alice M. Stout, deceased, by the County Court of Columbia County, State of Oregon, and has duly qualified for said trust. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same, duly verified, and with proper vouchers to the administrator at the office of W. A. Harris, in the City of St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated St. Helens, Oregon, October 28, 1915. H. J. SOUTHARD, Administrator of the Estate of Alice M. Stout, Deceased.

W. A. Harris, Attorney for Admr. 45-4.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Proposals for Sewer System, St. Helens, Oregon. Notice is hereby given, that sealed bids will be received by the City Council of the City of St. Helens, Oregon, up to Monday, November 8th, 1915, at 5 o'clock P. M., for the furnishing of all material and labor necessary for the construction and installation of such sewerage system, in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications thereof, filed with the City Recorder of said City, of sewer District Number One (1), section "B." A certified check in the sum of ten per cent of the bid, running to the Mayor of the City, shall be filed with the bid.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids, should they prove disadvantageous to the City.

Bids will be opened at the City Hall in the City of St. Helens, Oregon, on November 8th, 1915, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Signed, E. E. QUICK, City Recorder.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the County Surveyor has filed in this office certificate of completion of the contract of George Grant for clearing and grubbing 1986 feet on the E. J. Smith road, survey No. P-46, in Road Dist. No. 1.

All protests against the final acceptance thereof must be filed in the office of the County Clerk within two weeks from the date of first publication hereof.

A. F. BARNETT, County Clerk. Date of first publication, Oct. 29, 1915. 45-2

Ridgefield, Wash., held a special election last Saturday to bond the town for a municipal water system.

Out of a total registration of 160 there were 137 votes, the issue of bonding the town carrying almost three to one. There were 99 votes in favor of the bonding of the town and 38 against it. It is thought that work on the water system will not begin before the first of the year.

Dr. Stone's Heave Drops cures heaves. Price \$1; for sale by all druggists.

NOTICE.

All General Fund county warrants endorsed prior to October 1st, 1915, are called, and interest stops on the same on and after October 16th, 1915.

R. S. HATTAN, County Treasurer.

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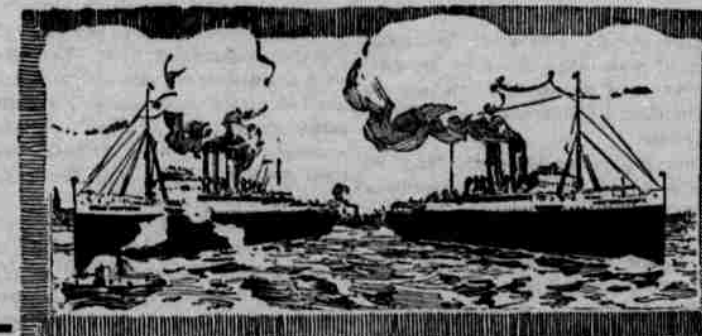
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